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Featured Opportunities

- **YouthBuild**
  Department of Labor
  Closing Date for Applications: Sep 18, 2018
  Description: The Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, announces the availability of approximately $85 million in grant funds authorized by the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act WIOA for YouthBuild.
  Under this Funding Opportunity Announcement, DOL will award grants through a competitive process to organizations providing pre-apprenticeship services that support education, occupational skills training, and employment services to at-risk youth, ages 16 to 24, while performing meaningful work and service to their communities. In addition to construction skills training, YouthBuild applicants may include occupational skills training in other in-demand industries. This expansion into additional in-demand industries is the Construction Plus component, a priority in this grant competition.

  More info: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=305338

- **Capital Magnet Fund**
  Department of Treasury
  Closing Date for Applications: Sep 17, 2018
  Description: Through the Capital Magnet Fund, the CDFI Fund provides competitively awarded grants to CDFIs and qualified non-profit housing organizations. These awards can be used to finance affordable housing activities, as well as related economic development activities and community service facilities. Awardees are able to utilize funds to create financing tools such as loan loss reserves, revolving loan funds, risk-sharing loans, and loan guarantees.

  More info: https://www.cdfifund.gov/programs-training/Programs/cmf/Pages/default.aspx#ApplyNow

News

From the Nevada Office of Grant Procurement, Coordination, and Management

Save the Dates: January 10-11, 2019

The Nevada Grant Office and the Northern Nevada Grant Workgroup are collaborating to coordinate and organize the first Silver State Grant Conference, an annual statewide event that will rotate between the north and the south. Nevada grant professionals of all skill levels are invited to the Silver Legacy in Reno, Nevada for affordable targeted professional development. More information available here.

Cortez Masto Applauds $1.5 Million Department of Transportation Grant to Lake Tahoe for Zero-Emission and Low-Emission Transit Buses

Las Vegas, Nev. – U.S. Senator Catherine Cortez Masto (D-Nev.) applauded the Department of Transportation's (DOT) $1.5 million grant to the Tahoe Transportation District Project, which will provide funding for state and local authorities for the purchase or lease of zero-emission and low-emission transit buses.

 "Investments to improve public transportation in Lake Tahoe will benefit the area's local tourism economy and enhance the quality of life for local residents. I'm pleased that the Department of Transportation remains committed to clean energy alternatives that help combat environmental pollution from carbon emissions. I have seen firsthand the need for innovative and clean transportation solutions in Nevada, as well as the important work the Tahoe Transportation District Project has done to protect Lake Tahoe and improve mobility for Nevadans. I will work to ensure that we continue to fund and find clean, innovative transportation projects to help Nevadans with their transportation needs, while reducing carbon pollution and protecting the environment."

Cortez Masto Applauds HHS Grants for Nevada Department of Health and Human Services

Las Vegas, Nev. **–** U.S. Senator Catherine Cortez Masto (D-Nev.) applauded the Department of Health and Human Services' (HHS) announcement of two grants aimed at keeping Nevadans healthy. HHS is awarding the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services a $1,158,632

grant to help combat prescription drug abuse and overdoses and another $1,690,222 for improving diabetes, heart disease and stroke prevention programs in the State of Nevada.

"I commend the Department of Health and Human Services for its commitment to bettering the lives of Nevadans by investing in their health. These grants will make a difference on the ground, where they will help fund and develop treatment and prevention plans for those overcoming addiction, struggling with diabetes or heart disease, or recovering from the effects of a stroke. I will continue to work in the Senate to secure critical investments that help keep Nevadans healthy."

Ways We Can Help

Letters of Support

Some federal grant applications require letters of support. If you are applying for a federal grant and need a letter of support, please contact our Grants Director at grants@cortezmasto.senate.gov.

Tracking Grant Awards

If you have applied for a federal grant and need to inquire about the status about the application, we can help you get more information about specific grants. Please contact our Grants Director at grants@cortezmasto.senate.gov if you want more information about a specific grant award.

General Assistance

There is no one-size-fits-all approach for grant applications. If you have any issues or problems that arise during the grant application process, we are happy to help troubleshoot, brainstorm ideas, and answer any questions that you may have. Please contact grants@cortezmasto.senate.gov .

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Grant Assistance Program Newsletter

Recently Announced or Updated Grant Opportunities

Below is a list of recently announced or updated grant opportunities that are currently accepting applications through grants.gov. If you have any questions regarding a specific grant opportunity, please contact our Grants Director at grants@cortezmasto.senate.gov

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Grant Assistance Program Newsletter

Department of Agriculture

Administering Department: Forest Service

Program Title: Forest Service - Landscape Scale Restoration RFA 2019

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307827

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 12, 2018

Administering Department: National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Program Title: Small Business Innovation Research Program Phase I Fiscal Year 2019

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307513

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 25, 2018

Department of Commerce

Administering Department: National Institute of Standards and Technology

Program Title: 2018 NIST Public Safety Innovation Accelerator Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308420

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 19, 2018

Department of Defense

Administering Department: Defense Sciences Office

Program Title: Young Faculty Award

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308136

Closing Date for Applications: Nov 13, 2018

Department of Education

Administering Department: Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services

Program Title: State Technical Assistance Projects to Improve Services and Results for Children who are Deaf-Blind and National Technical Assistance and Dissemination Center for Children who are Deaf-Blind

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308136

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 20, 2018

Department of Energy

Administering Department: National Nuclear Security Administration

Program Title: Integrated University Program (IUP): Enabling Technologies and Innovation (ETI) & Monitoring, Technology and Verification

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=305547

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 17, 2018

Department of Interior

Administering Department: Bureau of Land Management

Program Title: National Conservation Lands Scientific Studies Support Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307811

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 15, 2018

Administering Department: Fish and Wildlife Service

Program Title: Wolf Livestock Loss Demonstration Project

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308387

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 19, 2018

Department of Labor

Administering Department: Bureau of International Labor Affairs

Program Title: Strengthening Labor and Criminal Law Enforcement to Address Child Labor, Forced Labor, and Human Trafficking

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307224

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 24, 2018

Administering Department: Employment and Training Administration

Program Title: Scaling Apprenticeship Through Sector-Based Strategies

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307212

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 16, 2018

Administering Department: Veterans Employment and Training Service

Program Title: Announcement of Stand Down Grants

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=299798

Closing Date for Applications: Dec 31, 2020

Department of Transportation

Administering Department: Federal Railroad Administration

Program Title: FY18 Consolidated Rail Infrastructure and Safety Improvements (CRISI) Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307268

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 17, 2018

Administering Department: Federal Highway Administration

Program Title: Highway Use Tax Evasion – Intergovernmental Efforts

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=299782

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 28, 2018

Department of Veterans Affairs

Administering Department: VA National Cemetery Administration

Program Title: Veterans Cemetery Grants Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=306577

Closing Date for Applications: Jul 1, 2019

Health and Human Services

Administering Department: Health Resources and Services Administration

Program Title: Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Part A HIV Emergency Relief Grant Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=305744

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 21, 2018

Administering Department: National Institutes of Health

Program Title: National Institute on Aging Genetics of Alzheimer's Disease Data Storage Site

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=280328

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 25, 2018

Administering Department: National Institutes of Health

Program Title: Bridges to the Baccalaureate Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=292314

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 25, 2018

Administering Department: Health Resources and Services Administration

Program Title: Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307730

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 01, 2018

Administering Department: Center for Disease Control

Program Title: Enhancing Public Health Surveillance of Autism Spectrum Disorder through the Autism and Developmental Disabilities Monitoring Network

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307813

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 01, 2018

Administering Department: National Institutes of Health

Program Title: Intramural NIGMS Postdoctoral Research Associate (PRAT) Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=288591

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 03, 2018

Administering Department: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Program Title: Packaging and Spreading Proven Pediatric Weight Management Interventions for Use by Low-Income Families

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307480

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 10, 2018

Housing and Urban Development

Program Title: Jobs Plus Initiative

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=306244

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 13, 2018

Program Title: Choice Neighborhoods Implementation Grant Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=305341

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 17, 2018

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Program Title: Inspire! Grants for Small Museums

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308278

Closing Date for Applications: Nov 01, 2018

Grant Assistance Program Newsletter

Program Title: Museum Grants for African American History & Culture

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308276

Closing Date for Applications: Nov 01, 2018

Program Title: Native American/Native Hawaiian Museum Services

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308267

Closing Date for Applications: Nov 01, 2018

Program Title: National Leadership Grants for Museums

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308275

Closing Date for Applications: Dec 14, 2018

Program Title: Museums Empowered

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308274

Closing Date for Applications: Dec 14, 2018

Program Title: Museums for America

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308273

Closing Date for Applications: Dec 14, 2018

National Endowment for the Arts

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Program Title: NEA Research: Art Works, FY2019

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307873

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 09, 2018

Program Title: NEA Literature Fellowships: Translation Projects, FY2020

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308183

Closing Date for Applications: Dec 05, 2018

National Endowment for the Humanities

Program Title: Summer Stipends

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=305875

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 26, 2018

Program Title: Humanities Open Book Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=307760

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 26, 2018

Program Title: Humanities Connections

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308456

Closing Date for Applications: Oct 17, 2018

National Science Foundation

Program Title: Re-entry to Active Research Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=299292

Closing Date for Applications: Proposals accepted anytime

Program Title: Enabling Discovery through Genomic Tools

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=298130

Closing Date for Applications: Feb 01, 2018

Program Title: National Science Foundation Research Traineeship (NRT) Program

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=298129

Closing Date for Applications: Feb 06, 2018

Program Title: Integrative Strategies for Understanding Neural and Cognitive Systems

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=300182

Closing Date for Applications: Apr 17, 2018

Program Title: Cultivating Cultures for Ethical STEM

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=300183

Closing Date for Applications: Apr 17, 2018

Program Title: Cyberinfrastructure for Sustained Scientific Innovation (CSSI)

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=300153

Closing Date for Applications: Apr 18, 2018

Small Business Administration

Program Title: Women's Business Center Renewal Grant

More Information: https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=308178

Closing Date for Applications: Sep 12, 2018

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